***Emma’s Homework Term 2 Week 4.***

***Sizzling Start.***

*The coldest winds come from the south. Bernard’s house faced into those winds. As he lay awake at night listening to the howling gales, he often wondered why his Grandfather had chosen to build it this way. Eventually the alarm clock woke him from another restless sleep.*

CHARACTERIZATION

*The smell of fire clung like a stain to his clothes; ashes clothed him like a second skin. His deep voice echoed through the melting building “don’t worry help is here”. Crack, a piece of burning wood smacked the ground, sending splinters flying across the blazing floor. A scream of terror surrounded the untamable flames. Senior Fireman Jones stumbled through the heavy smoke to where the voice was summoning him.*

*His broad chest filled the doorway as he entered the room; at times like this he was glad his shape made it easier for him to carry people to safety.*

*Brave, heroic, quiet, strong and calm are words that would embarrass Fireman Jones if you called him these. But to everyone who he recused these words were true.*